"All of us have the responsibility to be prepared for the next hurricane. Please keep these emergency numbers handy in case you and your family need them during the next storm."





Important Emergency Contact Numbers

Federal Emergency Management Agency 1-800-621-3362

Florida Emergency Information Hotline 1-800-342-3557 (24-hours)

Public Housing Programs 1-800-955-2232

Social Security Administration 1-800-331-7767

Medicare 1-800-633-4227

State Volunteer Hotline 1-800-354-3571

Florida Power and Light 561-697-8000

South Florida Water Management District 1-800-544-2323

State Insurance Consumer Service 1-800-342-2762

Attorney General's Price Gouging Hotline 1-866-966-7226

Palm Beach Area Agency on Aging 561-689-2326

Disabled Residence Emergency Preparedness 1-888-722-6400

Broward County Emergency Operations Center 954-831-4000

Broward County Emergency Management Agency 954-831-3900

Broward County Sheriff's Office 954-831-8900

Broward County American Red Cross 954-797-3800

Palm Beach County Emergency Operations Center 561-233-3500

South Palm Beach County Center 561-276-1225

Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office 561-688-3000

South Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office 561-274-1075

Palm Beach County American Red Cross Headquarters 561-833-7711

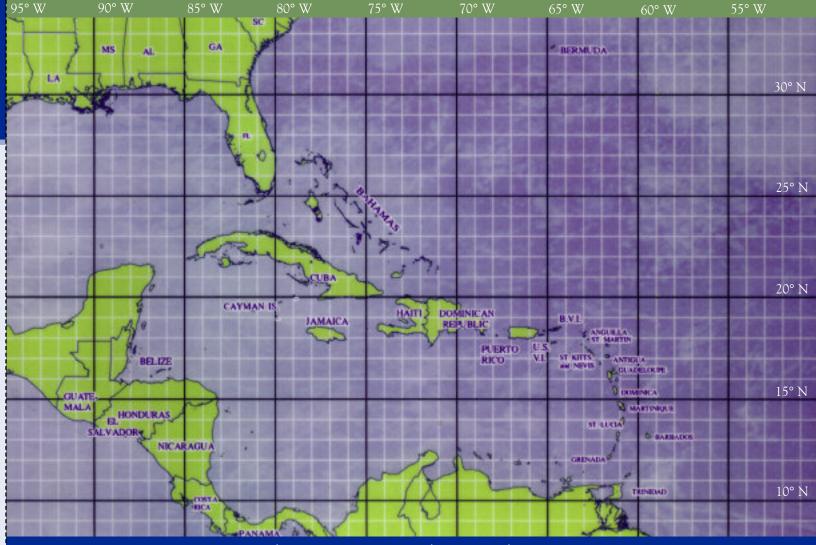
South Palm Beach County American Red Cross 561-994-2060

North Palm Beach County American Red Cross 561-622-8003

Special Service for Seniors

For seniors who are infirmed, have escalated medical needs, live alone or are simply concerned about what could happen as a result of a disaster and want the comfort of knowing someone will be checking up on them, Ruth Rales Jewish Family service has created a Hurricane Emergency Care Contact. Call 561-558-2137 for information or to register.

Is your family prepared for this year's hurricane season?



Save this map to track 2006 hurricanes.

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An Important Message from Congressman Clay Shaw

The 2006 Hurricane Season has already begun, and it is up Dear Friend, to every one of us living in South Florida to be ready when a storm hits us again.

Hurricanes Frances, Jeanne, Wilma and Katrina showed us that too many Florida residents are not as prepared as we should be. That's why I have included an important Hurricane Preparedness Check List, hurricane tracking map and emergency phone contact information for you and your families.

This information can save lives. I hope you take the time to go over it with your families and prepare in case a hurricane strikes our communities again.

If you would like more information on hurricane preparedness please contact one of my offices listed in this brochure.

Sincerely

Congressman Clay Shaw

P.S. As our area continues to recover from last year's storms, we have helped secure nearly \$200 million in FEMA reimbursements for South Florida communities for relief efforts such as debris removal, new traffic signals and emergency services. But the government can only do so much, it is up to every one of us to take the necessary steps to keep our families safe when the next storm hits.



Hurricane Preparedness Checklist

Being prepared for the next hurricane can save your life. This check list can help you and your family prepare for this hurricane season.

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Food and Drink ☐ Drinking Water: 1 gallon per person per day ☐ Non-potable water for hygienic use only (can be stored in bathtub) Two weeks' supply of the following: ☐ Non-perishable foods ☐ Plastic tableware and cups ☐ Plastic wrap and plastic trash bags ☐ Toilet paper and paper towels	 □ Propane gas for barbecue grill □ 2 coolers for food and ice □ Manual can opener □ Wet wipes □ Fuel for folding stoves □ Infant necessities
Health and Safety ☐ One flashlight and batteries per person ☐ Liquid soap and hand sanitizer ☐ Water purification kit or bleach	☐ 2-week supply of prescription drugs ☐ Fire extinguisher
Miscellaneous ☐ Cleanup supplies: mop, buckets, towels, disinfectant, bleach, camera/camcorder to record property before storm & document damage afterwards ☐ Extra batteries	 □ Full gas tank □ Appropriate clothes for post-storm: hat, closed-toe shoes, dry socks, rain gear □ If you have a pet, make sure their food and water are stocked
 If you evacuate □ Pillows, blankets & sleeping bags or air mattresses: shelters do not provide these □ Folding chairs or cots □ Extra clothing and shoes □ Personal hygiene items: toothbrush, washcloth, deodorant 	 □ Food, water and ice □ Prescription medications in original containers □ Books □ Handheld games □ Toys □ Cash

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